

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

MAYO, et al.

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Proteins with New Enzymatic

Function

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Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Final Office Action mailed on May 28, 2004, applicant submits the following. This response is timely filed on November 29, 2004, the first business day after Sunday November 28, 2004 with a three month extension of time and necessary fees.

- 1) Amendment and Response to Office Action,
- 2) Petition for Three Month Extension of Time,
- 3) Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement.
- 4) Check for 670.00 (\$490.00 for extension of time and \$180.00 for IDS), and
- 5) Return Post Card

The Commissioner is authorized to charge any additional fees that may be required, including extension fees, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-2319 (Our Order No. A-71138-1/RMS/RMK/468488-214)

Respectfully submitted,

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